GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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RESERVATION PROBLEM TO ORISSA BOUND PASSENGERS
BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that Orissa bound passengers are facing a lot of problems in getting railway reservations; and

(b) if so, the measures being taken to augment the system and resolve the problem of the commuters ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a)&(b): Some passengers do remain on the waiting list in some important popular Orissa bound trains particularly during the rush periods In order to bridge the gap between the demand and supply, various steps have been taken which include running of special trains, augmenting the load of the existing trains, etc. In addition, waiting list position is monitored on day to day basis and, wherever justified and feasible, additional coaches are attached.